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**REMARKS**

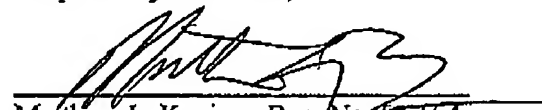
Applicant thanks the Examiner for the detailed remarks. Claims 1 and 12 have been cancelled. Claims 2-7 and 13-18 have been amended.

Claim 7 is written in independent form and includes all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims, as suggested by the Examiner. Claims 2-5 were amended to depend from claim 7 and are therefore also allowable. Accordingly, claims 2-11 are in condition for allowance.

Claim 18 is written independent form and includes all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims, as suggested by the Examiner. Claims 13-16 were amended to depend from claim 18 and are thus also allowable. Accordingly, claims 13-22 are in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes that no additional fees are necessary, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

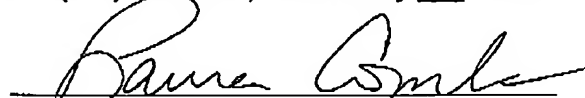
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